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**Report
Workshop on "Education for Life"
25th February, 2026**

Organized by: Institute of Vocational Studies, New Delhi

Date: 25th February 2026

Venue: Institute of Vocational Studies, Sheikh Sarai, New Delhi

Resource Person: Mr. Chinmaya Mandavgane

Institute of Vocational Studies organized a workshop on 'Education for Life' on 25 February 2026 under the guidance of Dr. Mandira Gupta and Co-ordinated by Dr. Nazia Hassan. The workshop aimed at promoting holistic education that nurtures academic excellence along with life skills, values, emotional intelligence, and responsible citizenship. The session witnessed active participation from faculty members and students.

The workshop commenced with a welcome address. The resource person, Mr. Chinmaya Mandavgane, initiated the session with interactive questions about the purpose of education in contemporary society. He emphasized that education should extend beyond textbooks and examinations to develop critical thinking, emotional resilience, ethical decision-making, communication skills, and empathy.

The session was highly interactive. Participants shared experiences and engaged in reflective discussions. Real-life examples and short activities were used to demonstrate how education can shape character, confidence, and social responsibility.

- Education must focus on holistic development.
- Life skills are essential for personal and professional success.
- Reflective and experiential learning enhances deeper understanding.
- Teachers play a vital role in shaping responsible and value-oriented citizens.

The workshop on 'Education for Life' was insightful and impactful. It provided valuable perspectives on transforming education into a meaningful life-building process. The Institute of Vocational Studies deserves appreciation for organizing such an enriching academic event.



Participants attending the workshop session.



Resource Person Mr. Chinmaya Mandavgane addressing the participants.